

REMARKS

Claims 1- 91 are pending in this applications with claims 1, 13, 40, 41, 52 and 76 being amended and claims 2 – 12, 14 – 39, 42 – 51, 53 – 60 and 63 – 72 being cancelled by this response. New claims 92 – 98 are added for consideration.

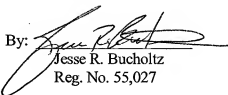
Applicant respectfully requests entry of this Preliminary Amendment prior to calculation of claim fees for the filing of the National Stage of the subject application.

Additionally, the executed Declaration being filed concurrently herewith indicates an address that is different from the address listed on the PCT Request Form. The address listed on the PCT Request Form is currently undergoing repairs necessitated by the effects of Hurricane Rita and Applicant respectfully submits that the address on the executed Declaration is a temporary address being used during these repairs.

Applicant respectfully requests prompt and favorable examination on the merits of this application. Should there be any questions regarding the application, the examiner is cordially invited to contact applicant's attorney at the phone number listed below.

Please charge any fee due to Deposit Account No. 50-2828.

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